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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

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Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- This application clearly fails to comply with the requirements of 37 CFR. 1.821-1.825. Applicant's attention is directed to the final rulemaking notice published at 55 FR 18230 (May 1, 1990), and 1114 OG 29 (May 15, 1990). If the effective filing date is on or after July 1, 1998, see the final rulemaking notice published at 63 FR 29620 (June 1, 1998) and 1211 OG 82 (June 23, 1998). If the effective filing date is on or after September 8, 2000, see the final rulemaking notice published in the Federal Register at 65 FR 54604 (September 8, 2000) and 1238 OG 145 (September 19, 2000). Applicant must provide an initial computer readable form (CRF) copy of the "Sequence Listing", an initial paper or compact disc copy of the "Sequence Listing", as well as an amendment directing its entry into the application. Applicant must also provide a statement that the content of the sequence listing information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written (on paper or compact disc) sequence listing and, where applicable, includes no new matter, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e), 1.821(f), 1.821(g), 1.825(b), or 1.825(d). If applicant desires the sequence listing in the instant application to be identical with that of another application on file in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, such request in accordance with 37 CFR 1.821(e) may be submitted in lieu of a new CRF.

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Enclosed for filing in the above-identified patent application, please find the following documents:

- 1. Response to Notice to File Missing Parts mailed May 27, 2004;
- 2. Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney;
- 3. Transmittal of Sequence Listing and Preliminary Amendment in Response to Notice to File Missing Parts;
- 4. Paper copy of Sequence Listing;
- 5. Computer readable copy of Sequence Listing;
- 6. Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts Part 2; and
- 7. Return Post Card.

The Commissioner for Patents is hereby authorized to charge any fees to Deposit Account No. 16-0085, Reference 8912/2015. A duplicate of this transmittal letter is enclosed for this purpose.

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NON-PROVISIONAL APPLICATION

Sir:

This is filed in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Non-Provisional Application mailed May 27, 2004.

- 1. The Notice stated that the Declaration is missing.
 - An executed Declaration/Power of Attorney is enclosed.
- 2. The Notice states that there is a \$65.00 surcharge for late filing of the declaration.
 - The Commissioner for Patents is hereby authorized to charge the \$65.00 surcharge for late filing of the declaration to Deposit Account No. 16-0085, Reference 8912/2015.
- 3. The Notice states this application clearly fails to comply with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §§1.821-1.825.

The following items are enclosed to comply with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §§1.821-1.825:

- a. Transmittal of Sequence Listing and Preliminary Amendment in Response to Notice to File Missing Parts;
- b. a paper copy of Sequence Listing; and
- c. the Sequence Listing on a computer readable disk.

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4. The Notice states that a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts (Part-2) must be enclosed with the Response.

Part 2 – copy of the Notice to File Missing parts is enclosed.

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